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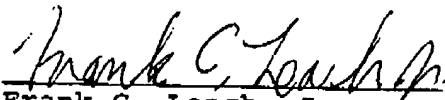
Dear Sir:

On March 11, 2006, a status letter was faxed to the PTO and received at 10:06:51 PM according to the Auto-Reply Facsimile Transmission received by applicant's attorney. No response has been received to the request for the date when an initial Office Action will be mailed.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that applicant's attorney be advised of the date when an initial Office Action will be mailed within a week since nearly four months has elapsed since the receipt of the prior request. An explanation is respectfully requested as to why there has been no reply.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (Fax No. (571) 273-8300) on July 6, 2006.

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